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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 29, 2005 please consider the following amendments and remarks. Under the 3 month shortened statutory period for reply, the due date for this response is October 29, 2005, thus making this a timely response. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

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